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## WOMAN HELD AFTER DEATH OF PASTOR

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 27.—Mrs. Ella Holson, of Kansas City, is being held by the police today under a technical charge of being a suspicious person following investigation into the death of the Rev. W. T. Tippet, forty-eight, of Fort Worth, Tex.

Tippet died suddenly Sunday in a downtown hotel of chronic enlargement of the heart.

According to the police, Tippet and the woman came here Saturday afternoon from Kansas City and registered.

Mrs. Tippet is on her way here from Fort Worth, according to a telegram received from Fort Worth by the police, asking that Mrs. Holson be held.

The police say they found a check for \$600, which the woman is alleged to have said Tippet gave her, and \$110. She is also alleged to have had his watch.

Mrs. Holson, the police declared had in her possession a will, ostensibly signed by Tippet, leaving her half of his estate.

The police say papers were found on Tippet showing he was vice president of the Interstate Drilling Association of Artesia, N. M., an oil organization.

**U. S. BATTLESHIP FORCED TO PORT BY ENGINE TROUBLE**

PONTA DELGADA, May 27.—The United States battleship New Jersey, which sailed from Brest on May 20 with troops aboard, has put in here because of engine trouble.

It is not expected that the battleship will be delayed for any length of time, as the engine trouble is announced to be not serious.

The New Jersey, together with the Rotterdam, Finland and Mobile, left Brest May 20, carrying more than 20,000 troops. This completed the embarkation of the Eightieth division. It is possible that some of the Thirty-sixth division are aboard these ships.

The Eightieth division consists of men from Virginia, West Virginia and Pennsylvania; the Thirty-sixth division is composed of Texas and Oklahoma troops.

## Let the Wedding Bells Ring Out

By JEAN KNOTT



Give a sick baby a chance through the Salvation Army.

## EX-TOMMIES TRY TO MOB PARLIAMENT

LONDON, May 27.—Thousands of discharged soldiers and sailors out of employment, armed with stones and other missiles, marched toward the house of commons yesterday. They came into conflict with the police barring the approaches, however, and were scattered.

Later the procession was reformed and marched toward Buckingham palace, but the demonstration broke up before it reached the palace. There were no further disorders.

The demonstration followed a big meeting held during the afternoon in Hyde Park, where the discharged soldiers and sailors demanded work and a minimum wage scale.

Similar demonstrations were held throughout the country during the day.

## WAR DEPT. TO TAKE UP U. S. HIGHWAYS SYSTEM

Secretary of War Baker today appointed two officers to consider from the military standpoint a system of national highways in connection with rural postroads, authorized by Congress last February.

The officers—Gen. E. E. Winslow, engineer corps, and Maj. J. M. Ritchie, motor transport corps—will prepare recommendations and submit them to Baker.

## BUREAU CELEBRATES ITS VICTORY LOAN RECORD

The Bureau of Engraving and Printing yesterday celebrated its success in exceeding its quota in the Victory loan by eight times. Short addresses were made by James L. Wilmett, the director of the bureau, and the superintendent, John J. Devine. Music was rendered by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing Band.

## CITES FRANKLIN'S PLEDGE TO ERIN

St. John's College began closing exercises for the school year with addresses on the Irish question, in the college auditorium yesterday afternoon. Miss Catherine Hughes traced the history of the Irish rebellion in the Easter of 1917 from its inception 700 years ago, until its culmination.

"The present revolution in Ireland," she said, "is purely political, and does not take on a military aspect."

She made a plea for self-determination for Erin, basing it on the promise of Benjamin Franklin, made during the American revolution, "pledging the honor of America in assisting Ireland to her freedom." She told of the tyranny of the English, citing the case of an eleven-year-old Irish boy of Limerick, taken from the arms of his parents and thrown into an English jail for eleven months.

P. T. Moran, of 3259 M street northwest, also spoke.

## ASKS FOR PENSION FOR POLICE WOMEN

Pensions for policewomen in the Washington Police Department are authorized in a bill introduced in the Senate by Senator Wadsworth, of New York.

The bill provides that when a policewoman becomes permanently disabled in service, after fifteen years service in the department, she may retire and be paid an amount not to exceed \$50 a month.

Should she leave a dependent widowed mother or children, they would receive the pension.

These benefits are contingent on the policewoman paying into the police retirement fund a part of her salary equal to that now being paid by a private of police.

## IMPERIAL ENEMY CROWN STILL REMAINS IN CAPITAL

Is Uncle Sam patient? Well, rather. Look. On Connecticut avenue, right across from the British embassy is what used to be the Austro-Hungarian embassy, but now occupied by the Swedish legation, which has charge of Austrian affairs.

Right on the front of the building, way up between the second and third stories, starting everybody in the face, inserted in the red brick wall, is a brownstone slab, bearing, in bold relief, not only an image of the imperial crown of Austria, but also the initials "F. J." meaning Francis Joseph, and also the latter's titles, "F. R." meaning "Imperator, Rex."

No attempt was made at any time through the war to cover up this "defy" of the enemy, and evidently nobody cared a tinker's darn. The British Union Jack right across the street gazed a bit now and then, but that was all.

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## SUES W. R. AND E. FOR \$30,000.

The Washington Railway and Electric Company has been named defendant in a suit filed in the District Supreme Court by Mrs. Mary M. Kelley, widow of William F. Kelley, consul general at Rome, Italy, for \$30,000 damages for alleged personal injuries and other claims. Mrs. Kelley, represented by Attorney Charles F. Carusi, alleges that March 13 last a car collided with her auto in which she was driving at Twenty-ninth street and Dumbarton avenue northwest, wrecking her auto and injuring her seriously and permanently.

## TO HONOR AMERICAN DEAD IN ENGLAND

LONDON, May 27.—Memorial Day will be celebrated in Great Britain with fitting ceremonies. Wreaths will be placed upon the graves of all

American soldiers, sailors and marines who died in the British Isles during the war. Nearly 3,000 Americans died in hospitals in England and Scotland from illness or wounds.

**SODALITY GIVES DANCE.**  
Seventy-five soldiers from Walter Reed Hospital were the guests of honor at a dance of the Sodality of the Blessed Virgin of St. Patrick's Church, given last night in Carroll Hall, 915 G street northwest. The Rev. James A. Smith, of St. Patrick's Church, had charge of the entertainment.

# Columbia Records



## Bert Williams Voices His Regrets

"Bring Back Those Wonderful Days," moans Bert Williams to the tune of a laugh a line. Quarter dinners, waterless milk, juicy steaks, janitors who gave heat, eggs at ten a dozen, and the days before the world went dry are among his regrets. Coupled with "Oh! Lawdy," also by Bert. A-2710-85c



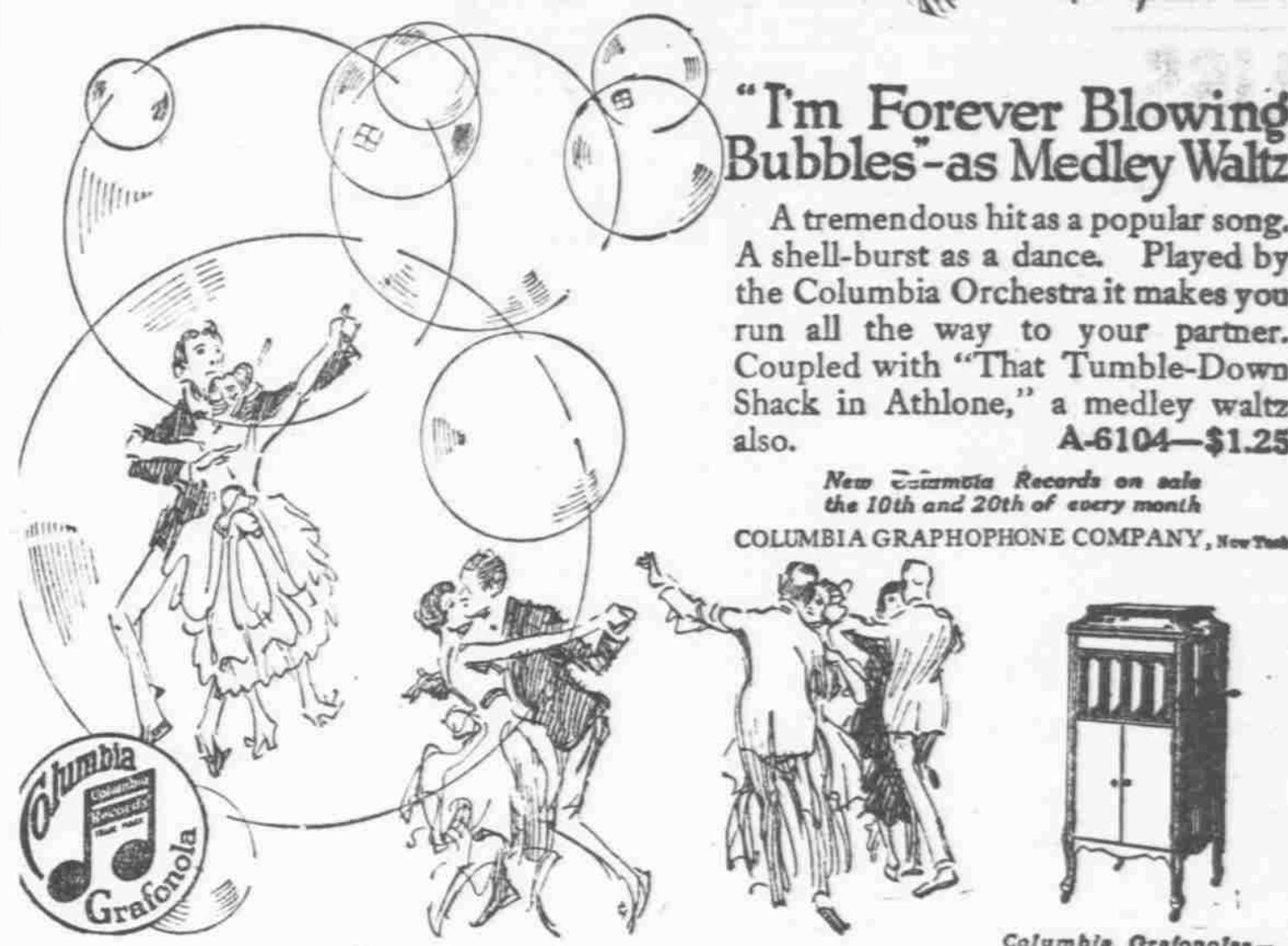
## "Mammy O'Mine"—a Dixie Mother Song

This touching ballad sung by the Sterling Trio is a worthy successor to "Don't Cry, Little Girl, Don't Cry" by the same composer. All mothers are perfect to their sons, and the biggest boys often long for them the hardest. Coupled with "By the Camp Fire." A-2718-85c

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